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The Board of Appeals and Interferences remanded this application to the Examiner to have an information disclosure statement filed December 31, 2001 considered. The Examiner believes that he did consider the Grubbi declaration at the time the July 16, 2002 response was prepared and that he inadvertently failed to initial the citation. For this reason, the PTO-1449 form dated December 31, 2001 has been initialed as this document was considered or reconsidered as a result of the remand. A copy of the initialed form is hereby provided to the Applicant via this communication.

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